

law or by a special act, twenty-five dollars for each act to incorporate or to amend; which tax shall be paid to the treasurer of the State.

(2) No corporation shall organize under such special act of incorporation obtained as set forth in the preceding section, or derive any benefit under such act to amend their charter, until it shall first have obtained a certified copy of such act from the secretary of State, and the secretary shall, in no case, furnish such copy, until the company applying shall have delivered to him the treasurer's receipt for the tax assessed in the preceding section; which receipt the secretary shall file in his office. Corporations.

(3) The president and cashier of each of the banks in this State, on or before the first day of October, in each year, shall pay into the public treasury the following tax, to-wit: Bank taxes.
If the profits divided among the stockholders of the banks under their charge, during the year, amounted to not less than six, and not more than seven per cent., one-half of one per cent. on the stock owned by individuals or corporations; if over seven and not more than eight per cent., three-fourths of one per cent. on the stock thus owned; if more than eight per cent., one per cent. on the stock thus owned. In case the said officers of any bank shall neglect or fail to pay the tax as herein required, said bank shall pay double the amount of said tax, and the same shall be sued for and recovered by the attorney general in the name of the State, in the superior court of the county of Wake.

(4) Every license to an attorney to practice law in the county or superior courts, fifteen dollars, to be paid at the time of obtaining the same, to the clerk of the supreme court, who shall before the first day of October in each year, render to the treasurer of the State a list, setting forth the names of the persons, from whom received, and the amounts received; and pay into the public treasury the total amount, less five per cent. commission, for receiving and accounting for the same. Attorneys license.

(5) Every marriage license, one dollar; every mortgage deed, marriage contract, and deed in trust, made to secure debts or liabilities, one dollar; and every other deed conveying title to real estate where the consideration is three Marriage licenses, &c.